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88	AA	4,649,351	03-10-87	Veldkamp et al.	340 <sup>359</sup>	4.3 <sup>349</sup>	
	AB	4,846,552	07-11-89	Valekamp et al.	350 <sup>359</sup>	572 <sup>572</sup> 162.2	
	AC	4,895,790	01-23-90	Swanson et al.	430	321	
	AD	4,933,649	06-12-90	Swanson et al.	330 <sup>359</sup>	4.3 <sup>349</sup>	
	AE	5,027,359	06-25-91	Leger et al.	372	18	
	AF	5,033,060	07-16-91	Leger et al.	372	97	
	AG	5,089,023	02-18-92	Swanson	623	6	
	AH	5,124,843	06-23-92	Leger et al.	359	565	
88	AI	5,161,042	11-03-92	Hamada	359 <sup>349</sup>	41 <sup>62</sup>	

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88	AL	165,623	26-AUG-95	Japan (English Abstract)			ABS
	AM	165,624	28-AUG-85	Japan			yes
	AN	94,826	01-MAY-87	Japan			yes
	AO	118,125	23-MAY-88	Japan			yes
	AP	281,426	13-NOV-89	Japan			yes
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	AK	5,218,471	06-08-93	Swanson et al.	359	565	_____
	AA2	5,231,432	07-27-93	Glenn	353	31	_____
	AB2	5,264,880	11-23-93	Sprague et al.	353	31	_____
	AC2	5,272,551	12-21-93	Lehureau et al.	359	19	_____
<i>JS</i>	AD2	5,344,447	09-06-94	Swanson	623	6	_____
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	AM2	JP2296213	06-DEC90	Japan (English Abstract)	_____	_____	_____
	AN2	JP5249318	28-SEP-93	Japan (English Abstract)	_____	_____	_____
<i>JS</i>	AO2	JP62293223	19-DEC-87	Japan (English Abstract)	_____	_____	_____

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<i>JS</i>	AV	B. Herman et al., "Theory of Dispersive Micro Lenses," Conf. On Binary Optics, NASA Conf. Pubs. 3227, pp. 395-408 (February 1993).
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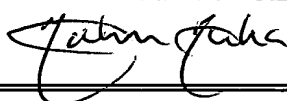
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	AG2	4,798,448	01-17-89	Van Raalte	<del>349</del> 350	<del>345</del> 62	—
	AH2	4,105,289	08-08-78	Hershel	359	<del>162</del> 563	—
	AI2	4,882,619	11-21-89	Hasegawa	<del>348</del> 358	<del>265</del> 55	—
	AJ2	4,807,978	02-28-89	Grinberg	<del>359</del> 350	<del>20</del> 3-73	—
	AK2	4,255,019	05-10-81	Knop	<del>359</del> 350	<del>569</del> 162	—
	AA3	4,277,138	07-07-81	Dammann	<del>359</del> 350	<del>569</del> 162	—
	AB3	4,686,519	08-11-87	Yoshida et al.	<del>345</del> 340	<del>701</del> 88	—
	AC3	4,748,614	05-31-88	Dammann et al.	<del>359</del> 370	<del>130</del> 3	—
	AD3	4,079,411	03-14-78	Engelbrecht et al.	<del>359</del> 358	<del>575</del> 6	—
	AE3	3,860,955	01-14-75	Shinozali	<del>248</del> 358	<del>291</del> 44	—
	AF3	5,682,265	10-28-97	Farn et al.	359	571	2-18-94
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	AQ2	4-367817	21-DEC-92	Japan (with English Abstract)	—	—	—
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